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TAPS ON TELEPHONES #446 + 173
LISTED TO CHIEF OF POLICE AND
CITY JAIL, CITY HALL.
SURVEILLANCE FROM 207 LAUREL A

12³⁰ AM Incoming #173 GPM
Call for Culey Evans - was told
that Evans would not be in
until 9:00 AM.

12⁵⁵ AM Incoming #173 GPM
Woman called and reported that
a girl was badly burned at
441 Prospect Ave. Moore said he
would send a car out right away.

1⁰⁵ AM Incoming #173 GPM
Mrs Carver called Bob Moore and
asked him to send after a drunk
at the Garland Hotel - Moore
said he would send a man up.

1¹² Incoming #446 GPM
Corrington - City Jail
man - Is Brunner in jail.
Corrington - Yes.
man - Is there any chance to make

bond for him?
Corrington - I don't know. You will
have to talk to Captain Moore
about that.

Man = OK.

1²⁰ Am = Incoming #446 GDM
Officer Irwin called Bob Moore
and said the woman who was
burned had been taken to St Joseph's
Hospital. Irwin said that woman
apparently had been drinking and
had gone to sleep while smoking
a cigarette. Moore instructed Irwin
to return to Tail.

1²⁵ Am Outgoing #446 GDM
Bob Moore = 217 (Chicago Cigar Store)
Phil = Hello.
Moore = Phil - I want you to close that
poker game. I don't want to come
by there and see it. I've got
orders to close them up.
Phil = Hell - we just started but I'll close it.
Moore = All right.

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150 am Incoming # 446 Glen
Officer reporting = 3337 Murray + Kelly.

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Has.

2:20 Am. - out #1.

Moore - Called 100 (Central Garage)

Charlie - Hello.

Moore - Have you a car in there tonight wrecked?

Charlie - Bob, we've a Ford coupe that Buchanan sent in. It ran into something. axle bent. \$2.50 towing charge on it.

Moore - It's no hold order on it, is there?

Charlie - No. just Buchanan sent it in.

Moore - The fellow's here now. Let him have it if he pays towing charges. He's OK.

2:25 Am. - out #1,

Moore - Called 3700 (Sentinel - New Era)
No answer.

Has.

2:35 Am. - on #2.

Woman - Advised Moore she heard a woman scream in front of her house 408 Hawthorne St.

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(note: woman evidently known to Moore who made complaint: gave her name as Ada Smith) -

12:37 AM - In #1. For Moore. App.

Moore - Hello -

Man - Gave his name as Martin -
employed by Superior Bakery -
advised he located his "old woman"
at the White House drunk and
attempted to get her home, but
that she was too much for
him and he couldn't get her
any further than Hawthorne St.

Moore - OK. Police car is on the way
there now.

Man - Requested Moore to keep her lock
up until she became sober -

Moore - OK. Probably won't be any
charges against her.

2:50 Am. - In #1.

Has.

Officer - Reported at 126 and asked Moore if he was ready to send car to pick up "that guy".

Moore - OK.

Officer - I'll be waiting by the bank.

3:00 Am - In #1.

Has.

Woman - send car to 223 Platan Street

Moore - What's trouble?

Woman - Drunks and a fight -

Moore - OK.

3:01 Am - Out #2.

Moore - Called 25 (Checker Cab) and ordered cab to City jail.

Has.

3:03 Am. - In #2.

Officer - Reported that he had woman and she was Earl's sister; that he knocked (Earl) her down.

Moore - Bring her down here and go get him.

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4:05 Am. - In #1.

Officers - Reported in -

5:00 Am - In #1.

Officers - Reported at 126.

6:05 Am - In #1.

Has-

Officer - Reported in -

6:47 Am - In #1.

Woman - Inquired concerning number
of breakfasts needed.

7:15 Am - In #1.

Has

Man - Have you got a fellow named
Gilchrist in jail.
Corrington - No, have not.

8:15 Am - In #2.

Man - Bob this man here says he
can't fix you up.

Man - (taking phone) - Ok, I'll fix you up.
Moore - Wish you would, I'm sick -
?

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8:25 Am - out.

Man - Called 3574 (Pleini Restaurant) and
advised woman that the number
was twenty-three, then -

8:40 Am. - In #2 -

Man - Talked to Bill Abbott about
a pair of shoes.

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8:55 am Incoming #183 Glen

Bob Moore - Chief's Office

Betty(-?) - Bob, this is Betty, did you find my purse in your car.

Bob Moore - No, I haven't seen it. I think your husband got it. Has he gone to work?

Betty - Yes

Bob Moore - I tell you - I'll come by there in a little bit when I start home.

Betty - OK.

9:15 am Incoming #183 Glen

Bob Moore - Chief's Office

Mrs Duncan - This is Mrs Duncan - sister of the girl who was burned. Did they ever find her husband?

Bob Moore - No - we haven't been able to locate him.

Mrs Duncan - Thank you.

918 In #123 Glen
Call for Bob Moore - was told
Moore had just left for home.

922 Incoming #446 Glen
Woman called but she was
unable to talk - sounded as
tho she were having a fight
with a man - Brock asked
operator to trace the call - Operator
reported that call came from #3150

924 Outgoing #123 Glen
Brock = 3150
Girl (crying) - Hello
Brock = This is Cecil - what's the
trouble?
Girl = Come on up here -
Brock = OK.

947 Incoming #123 Glen
Call for Cecil Brock - Not In.

950 Outgoing #446 Ghu

Brock = 676 (Dr Chamberlain's Office)

Girl = Hello -

Brock = Is Doctor in?

Girl = No but he's expected in in a few minutes.

Brock = Tell him a man named Price at the corner of Magnolia and Glade wants a doctor to come up and fix a cut over the eye. He asked me to call a doctor and I thought maybe Dr. Chamberlain would want the case.

Girl = Yes - thanks Mr Brock

953 Incoming #173 Ghu

Brock = Chief's Office

Man = This is the Missouri-Pacific -

We have had a car robbery down here. Can you send down and investigate?

Brock = Yes - will send right down.

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10⁰²am Incoming #446 Glen

Murray called from Hospital and asked that someone be sent up to relieve him. Was told that someone would be sent up.

10¹²am Incoming #173 Glen

Call for Cicle Brock - Not In.

10²⁰am Incoming #173 Glen

Officer Evans called and told Mr. Tucker he was sick and wouldn't be down for work.

10²⁵ Incoming #446 Glen

Girl called for Garnett Moore - She was told he was sick.

10³⁸ Incoming #173 Glen

Mrs Brock called St. Brock and asked him to find a maid to come out and clean the house.

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10⁴⁵ Incoming #446 — ERM
Call for Akers. Not In.
Man asked that message be
left for Akers to call 359.

10⁵⁰ Incoming #446 — ERM
Tucker: City Jail
Sid Ellis: Is Chief Nakelin There?
Nakelin: Hello.

Ellis - Chief you've got that
young fellow Rice down
there for being drunk. He's
a swell fellow but just got
too much. Let him out and
I'll see that he's down for
court on Monday.

Nakelin: Well - as soon as Dutch
comes I'll see what I can do.

Ellis: Do what you can for him
and I'll appreciate it.

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11⁰⁸ Incoming #173 Glau
Fire called Cecil Brock - Not In.

11¹⁴ Outgoing #173 Glau
Wakelin = 580 (St Joseph's Infirmary)
Sister Bernard = Helis

Wakelin = Sister - did Mrs Grover
die?

Sister Bernard = yes - she did.

Wakelin = Will you notify everyone
that should her husband
call not to tell him she
is dead but tell him to
come to hospital to help
check some records or
something and to notify
us so we can come out
and get him.

Sister Bernard: Yes, I'll be glad to
do that.

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1126 Outgoing #446 Glen

Akers: 359

Man: Hello

Akers: Is Rockefeller there?

Rockefeller: Hello.

Akers: Are you coming by?

Rockefeller: Yes. How long will
you be there?

Akers: Till 12 o'clock.

Rockefeller: Ok. I'll be by soon.

1129 Incoming #123 Glen

Long Distance call from Gray Albright
at Little Rock to Chief Nakelin

Nakelin: Hello.

Albright: Hello Chief - Jim Sanderson

had a hold-up over there

this morning. The two men

got away and were driving

a dark colored Dodge or

Plymouth Sedan (1935 or 1936)

with Texas license #709534.

Both were white and about

25 yrs old.

Have your men look out
for them.

Hakelin: Yes. I will.

Albright: How is John? (John Dixon)

Hakelin: He's in the hospital but
is reported better this morning.
It's too bad it wasn't all
finished out there.

Albright: Will look out on that and
if you get anything let
Sanderson know.

Hakelin: all right.

11⁴⁵ Incoming #173 GRW
Akers called for Chief - Not In.

11⁵⁵ Incoming #183 GRW
Dick Swaim called Akers - Not In.
Swaim asked that Akers be told
to call him when he returned.

12⁰⁰ Incoming #183 GRW
Mrs Brock called Lt. Brock - Not In

17²² Outgoing # 446 Ghan

Akers = 3470

Man = Hello (Dick Swain)

Akers = Did you call me?

Swain = Yes I want to see you
when you start to dinner.

Akers = Ok I'll call you.

17²⁵ Incoming # 173 Ghan

Akers = Hello

Man = Dutch - I just saw the
gentleman (reference to E.E. Grover,
walking in the Rainbow Cafe.
He's got on a grey suit.

Akers = Thanks.

17³⁵ Outgoing # 446 Ghan

Akers = 1593 (Curtis Ridgeway)

Ridgeway = Hello.

Akers = Curtis you'd better come
down ~~now~~ right after
dinner - We've got a murder
case on our hands.

Ridgeway = What about 1³⁰

Akers = All right. 17

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17³⁸ Incoming #446

Flu

Jucker = City Jail

Man = Is Marvin Willis in jail.

Jucker = No.

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1:14 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Officer Robins reported in from 5511 Jonestown

1:17 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J.L.M.
Brook: #29

Man: Gross Mortuary.

Brook: Did Joe get that woman that was
burned?

Man: Yes, she's here now.

Brook: Will she have a bump or anything like a
bruise on her head?

Man: I don't know - we're going to have an
autopsy on that.

1:24 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.

Man: This is Mr. Rice - are my two boys in
jail? ~~His~~ This name is Rice too.

Jailor: Pete Rice is in jail - the other one isn't.

Man: O.K. Thanks.

1:27 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.

Mrs. McNeely of 325 Benton Street requested
an officer out to her place.

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1:44 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Walter Ebel: #666
Akers: Hello.
Ebel: Hurry, we're all down here waiting
for you.
Akers: Still be right down.

1:53 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Walter Ebel: 29
George: Gross Mortuary.
Ebel: This is Walter Ebel - what time are you
going to have the autopsy on that woman.
George: At three o'clock.
Ebel: I want to see her before then.
George: All right, come down here.

2:20 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J.L.M.
Akers: 29.
Miss Bennett: Gross Mortuary.
Akers: Miss Bennett are any of the boys there?
Miss Bennett: They're all busy right now - can I have
one of them call you.
Akers: This is Herbert Akers - are they holding that autopsy now
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Miss Bennett: No, that will be at 3 o'clock.

Akers: O.K. thank you.

2:24 P.M. Outgoing on # 446

J.L.M.

Akers: # 29

George: Boss Murray

Akers: George, is that autopsy set for 3 o'clock, or is that the inquest?

George: The autopsy

Akers: When will the inquest be held.

George: After the autopsy. Will you be over?

Akers: Yes, will be by there.

2:31 P.M. Outgoing on # 123

J.L.M.

Akers: # 2377

No answer.

2:32 P.M. Incoming

J.L.M.

Francis: Is Bob Moore there?

Joe Scott: No, he doesn't come on until nine.

Francis: Who is this?

Joe Scott: Joe Scott.

Francis: Joe, this is Francis talking - can you

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meet me at Church + Pleasant right away,
Joe Scott: What's the trouble?

Dennis: There's so much - I can't tell you over
the phone.

Joe Scott: O.K. I'll be there.

2:37 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Mr. Pierce: This is Mr. Pierce at the God-
dard Hotel - tell that officer
I forgot his name - that every-
thing is cleared up. She just can
in.

Sgt. Tucker: All right.

2:46 P.M. Outgoing on 123

J.L.M.

Joe Scott: #100 (Central Garage)

Man: Hello.

Joe Scott: Take a wrecker and go out to Malvern
Avenue just beyond the Riggs School
and pull in that wrecked car that is
out there. The Chief + I will be
there. Make it snappy now.

Man: O.K. Joe, we'll be right out there.

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2:45 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J. L. D.

Akers: #770 (Paul Heady Funeral Home)

Woman: #770

Akers: Let me speak to Paul.

Paul: Hello.

Akers: Paul, this is Herbert Akers - did you pick up the woman that was burned last night?

Paul: Yes, I did.

Akers: Did you talk with her husband later?

Paul: Yes, sometime early this morning.

Akers: What did he have to say?

Paul: He didn't say much of any thing - I told him that if he expected me to help him he ought to tell me every thing.

Akers: What remarks did he make to you?

Paul: He wouldn't say much except that they were estranged.

Akers: Did he say any thing about having had a quarrel with her last night?

Paul: He said she was pretty drunk and that they quarreled a little.

Akers: He didn't say any thing about striking or beating

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how, did he?

Paul: No, nothing like that.

Whew: Did he know she is dead?

Paul: No - did she die?

Whew: Yes, around six o'clock this morning.

Paul: Well, that's too bad.

Whew: Thanks, I'll see you later.

3:00 P.M. Outgoing # 446

J. L. M.

Joe Scott: 682

Man: White Donut Ligar Store

Joe Scott: Is Dick Whitaker there?

Man: Yes, just a minute.

Whitaker: Hello.

Joe Scott: This is Scott at the City Jail - I've got your boy and car down here in jail.

Whitaker: Why, what's the matter?

Scott: You better come down + see.

3:10 P.M. Incoming # 446

J. L. M.

Officer Charlie Robbins reported in from 503 Jonestown

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3:20 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Charlie Reese of Central Garage called + told
Joe Scott that he went to point on Madison
Ave, as directed by Scott, but that he couldn't
find anything of a wreck. Scott said some-
one ~~else~~ else called the Market Str. Garage,
and they pulled it in. Charlie Reese inquired
whether the wreck was bad, + also whether
the Market Street Garage got the job of repairing
it. Scott told Charlie to come to the Station
right away.

3:44 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Trucker: 3574 (Plein's restaurant)
Ordered 21 dinners.

3:50 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Man: Is Mr. Akers there?
Sgt: No, he's out just now.
Man: Have him call Gross when he come
back.

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3:50 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man: Is John Butler in jail?

Sgt: No.

3:51 P.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Akers: 29

Man: Gross Mortuary.

Akers: This is Herbert Akers.

Man: Say Dutch - there were no bruises found on the body or head - they decided it was an accidental death.

Akers: Do you know whether Mr. Randolph is going to hold an inquest?

Man: No, he doesn't think it's necessary now.

4:02 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J.L.M.

Joe Scott: 29

Man: Gross Mortuary.

Joe Scott: Is Raymond Clinton there?

Man: No, he just went out.

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4:03 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man: Is John P. Sabady in jail?

Sgt: yes

Man: What's he in for?

Sgt: Investigation.

4:08 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J.L.M.

Buchanan: 3427-W.

George: Hello.

Buchanan: Is Moose around there? This is Buck.

George: He's out just now.

Buchanan: Do you know where I can get in touch with him, George?

George: I'll hunt him up, + have him call you.

4:16 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J.L.M.

Ridgway: 29

Man: Gross Mortuary

Ridgway: Is Mr. Randolph there?

Man: No, he left for home.

Ridgway: What was the final opinion on that autopsy

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Man: Accidental death - no evidence of any
bruises or cuts.

Ridgway: Are they going to hold an inquest?

Man: Mr. Randolph didn't think it neces-
sary.

Ridgway: Uh - all right.

4:17 P.M. Leaving on #123

J. L. M.

Ridgway: Rural 9504.

Mr. Randolph: Hello.

Ridgway: Doc - this is Curtis Ridgway. What
did you find out about that woman's
death.

Mr. Randolph: There were no evidences of a
brain injury or any internal in-
juries. It is my opinion that
she died from 3rd degree burns
and shock.

Ridgway: Well, we have her husband in jail
here, and investigating his story. He
seems to tell us one story, + witnesses
tell us another. Dutch thinks we
ought to have an inquest.

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Mr. Randolph: I don't think it is necessary,
but if he wants one, I'll hold
it.

Rayway: We better wait until we do some
more checking.

Mr. Randolph: Anything you say.

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4:23 P.M. Incoming on # 446 J.L.M.
Man called in and reported that Gary Ripley
was at 538 Benton Street - that the police should
pick him up.

4:25 P.M. Incoming on # 446 J.L.M.
Man called in for Charlie Reese of the Cen-
tral Garage - was advised he was not
there.

4:30 P.M. Incoming on # 123 J.L.M.
Man: Is Buchanan there?
Buchanan: Hello.
Man: This is Moose - did you call me.
Buchanan: Yes, there's a man in jail here who
wants to buy a new car - he had a
week this afternoon, + wants a new car
by tomorrow morning for work. You
might be able to sell him a Plymouth.
Man: What's the fellow's name?
Buchanan: Dick Whitaker.
Man: Thanks Buck - I'll be down there.

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4:31 P.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Woman: Is Cecil Brock in?

Brock: Hello.

Woman: I'm in Joe's on Benton Street - I want to see you a minute.

Brock: O.K. - will be right over.

4:34 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Woman: This is Lyla Moore - have they served that warrant on Harry Moore yet?

Tricker: I don't think so (hung up).

4:36 P.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Man: Is Cecil there?

Brock: Hello.

Man: What was that fellow's name we were looking for last night for burning that woman.

Brock: Earl Grover - we got him in jail now.

Man: Do you think he done it?

Brock: Yes - Curtis talked to him this afternoon - he hasn't said anything.

Man: Well, don't give up.

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4:43 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Lyla Moore: Are they going to serve that warrant on Harvey Moore?

Leil Brock: Do you know where he is?

Lyla Moore: Yes, he's at Fred Barnett's place at 125 Daisy Street.

~~Leil Brock~~: We'll go right out and pick him up for you - where can I call you when we do get him.

Lyla Moore: You get reach me through the linen room at the Arlington Hotel.

4:45 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J.L.M.

Mr. Merritt: #618 (Sheriff's Office)

No answer.

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4:55 P.M. Outgoing on # 123 J.L.M.
Mr. Merritt # 1723

Thomas Hello

Mr. Merritt: Is Chief Wakelini there?

Chief Wakelini: Hello

Mr. Merritt: What time are you coming down to the station?

Chief Wakelini: Around six o'clock. - why what's the matter?

Mr. Merritt: Things don't look so favorable - I want to talk to you about this thing. I'll try and be here at six o'clock to talk this over with you.

Chief Wakelini: Any thing happens?

Mr. Merritt: Those folks are calling up at the hospital, and have also been trying to get hold of me all day. I don't know how they found out he is up there.

Chief Wakelini: How is he?

Mr. Merritt: He's no better - that's what I'm afraid of. If anything, he is worse.

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Chief Kabeini: Yeah.

Mr. McVitt. That's what I want to talk to you
about - maybe we can get him
out of town.

Chief Kabeini: I'll be there in a little while.

5:04 P.M. - Outgoing on #123

J L M

Answer: 728

Woman: Hello

Answer: Is Mr. Reynolds in town?

Woman: No, he's out on the lake.

5:05 P.M. Incoming on #416

J L M

Man: Is Glen Buchanan in?

Sgt: No, he's out on a call.

5:06 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J L M

Answer: #165 (Moody Hotel & Bath House)

Woman: Moody Hotel.

Answer: Is Max there?

Max: Hello

Answer: This is Dutch - have you heard any thing
about Benny Levi yet?

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Max: No, I haven't - I contacted all his friends and no one seems to have seen or heard of him today. He's probably out on a "toot" somewhere.

Abner: Had you try around the lake?

Max: Yes, I've been down there this morning maybe he's at Vene Ledgerwoods cottage he usually goes down there.

Abner: Vene, if anybody, ought to know where he is.

Max: When he's on a "toot" like that, he usually puts up at Rogers' Brothers until he sober up.

Abner: I'll call down there, & see if he's in one of his cottages.

5:10 P.M. Outgoing on #123

Abner called long distance to Rogers' Landing on Lake Catherine & while the operator was ringing that place, agent heard snippets of conversation between Abner and another person he knew to be a Mr. Lewis. They were apparently discussing the Russians and agent heard Abner make the fol

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lowing remarks:

Yes, this couple extorted some money out of this guy in California - they came into town Friday morning and didn't contact any of us. I saw them at breakfast at the Hot Springs Confectionery around 7:30 in the morning - I personally know some of them, but none of them said anything to me. I figured they were up to something - that's the way those guys operate.

You know, I had a clash with Hoover on that. Karpis said that those fellows made last April - a whole bunch of them came into town and almost burned up Woodcock's place. I told them that I didn't like them sneaking into town like that without letting anyone know. Christ sake, we could have gone out there and tangled with them, and some of us or them might have been killed - that's what every police department in the country is bickering about - Look what they did in New York - they almost got a couple of five men killed - they shot this apartment full of lead and then threw

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in some tear gas and set the place on fire.
The New York police raised plenty hell
about it - (at this point some one apparently
by entered the room, as agent heard Abers
introduce Mr. Levi to Sheriff Ellis)

At this juncture the operator plugged in
and advised that Rogers Landing doesn't answer

5:15 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J.L.M.

Abers: Rural 9523

Man: Gilliam's Landing

Abers: Is Gilliam there?

Man: No, I'll have to call him to the phone.

Abers: Have him call me right away.

5:18 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Gilliam: Had you want to talk to me Dutch?

Abers: Yes, did you see Peeney Levi out there

Gilliam: Haven't seen him in a couple of days.

Abers: He hasn't been around here - he must
be duck hunting. I'm just trying to
locate him.

Gilliam: Well, he hasn't been around here.

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NAK.

5:28 Pm. - out #2.

Man (believed Brock) - Called 25.

Clerk - Checker Cab.

Man - where's Ashton (phonetic)?

Clerk - He's down stairs. Who's calling

Man - His brother -

Clerk - Give me your number and I'll have him call you.

Man - I don't want him to do that

Clerk - well, call back on #26 and I'll have him up here in a couple of minutes.

Man - ok.

NAK.

5:30 Pm. - out #2.

Man (believed Brock) - Called 26.

Clerk - Checker Cab.

Man - Is he there yet? Ashton (phonetic)

Ashton - Hello.

Man - I'll be up to see you after a while.

Ashton - It won't do you any good.

One's going out to Transit Camp.

Man - Well, I'll see you tomorrow.

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5:32 Pm. - out #2.

Brock - Called 1402 (his residence) talked to his wife and informed her he would be home at 6:15.

5:34 Pm. - In #1.

Man - asked for Brock.

Brock - Hello.

Owen - Tell that negro I couldn't do anything for him - Best thing for him would be to stay in jail.

5:36 Pm. - In #2.

Woman - asked for Walter Ebel (reporter)

Tucker - He's not here now.

5:45 Pm. - In #2.

Man - asked for Cooper.

Tucker - He's at home sick. Call 3339.

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Not.

5:50 P.m. - Out #2.

Akers - Called Western Union for
Correct time.

5:55 P.m. - In #1.

Opr. - Informed she had a call from
the Dam for Bob Moore or
some one who has blood-
hounds.

Tucker - Moore is not here and
doesn't have a telephone
He lives at 625 Oak St.
His neighbor's phone is 1283.

6:00 P.m. - In #1.

Not.

Brock - Hello.

Owen Wilson - Advised he was calling
from the Dam, and that
a two year old baby was
lost in the country near
there. Wanted to get in
touch with Bob Moore to
get blood hounds -

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Brock - Advised that Moore might be reached by calling Capt. Rogers, his neighbor, phone 3232-W.

Joe Scott - (taking phone) Advised he would go out and tell Moore about it and for Wilson to call back in a few minutes.

6:03 Pm. - In #2 -

Has-

Woman - Have you heard how John Dixon is today, Tucker?

Tucker - No I haven't heard a word. I don't know anything about that case.

Woman - Where is he? What hospital is he in?

Tucker - I don't know. There's no one here now but me.

Woman - Well it seems mighty funny that no one knows (L. 4)

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has.

where he is or anything about him. I called all the hospitals and they don't know anything either.

Trucker - Well, I don't know.

6:05 P.m. - In #1.

has.

Officer - Reported at 503.

6:07 P.m. - In #1.

Woman - asked for Andy Irvin.
not in -

6:10 P.m. - In #1.

has.

Joe Scott - advised he had talked to Moore and the fellow at the Dam, and requested information as to whether there was a police car there at the station.

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6:15 P.m. - In # 2 -
Ernest Hilton - made complaint
to Akers about theft of
his auto radiator cap.

6:18 P.m. - In # 1.
Mrs Wilson - left message for Tucker
that she would be at church

6:20 P.m. - In # 2. Har.
Woman - asked for Walter.
Tucker - He works out of the City
Clerks Office - Not here.

6:21 P.m. - In # 2
Woman - asked for Brock.
Not in.

6:22 P.m. - In # 2. Har.
Woman - asked for Garnett Moore -
Not in.

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6:23 P.m. - out #2.

Akers - Called 379, spoke to Carl concerning a deer hunting trip planned for Wednesday

6:25 P.m. - out #2.

Wakelin - Called 3421 (Hatter's Hotel,

Grace - Hello

Wakelin - Well?

Grace - Well, I was just lying in bed reading Liberty. What are you doing?

Wakelin - Just sitting on it.

Grace - What, your "fanny"?

Wakelin - Yeah.

Grace - Where are you, downtown

Wakelin - Yeah.

Grace - Well, I haven't been out of the house today except to take shine out for a while.

Wakelin - Yeah?

Grace - Yeah. I'm lying in (cont.)

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bed now with Lillian (maid).
Wakelin - What?

Grace - Yeah - I'm lying at the
head and she's at the
foot.

Wakelin - Well, that doesn't sound
so good either. (laughter)

Grace - No, I guess not. Well, I
went to sleep this afternoon
about four o'clock. I ate
so much dinner.

Wakelin - Mm hmk -

Grace - Well, what'd you know?

Wakelin - Not much of anything.

Grace - Neither do I. Well,
when I got home last
night I went straight
to bed.

Wakelin - I did too.

Grace - I slept about twelve
hours - Well, what
time is it now?

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Has.

Wakelin - I've got about six-
thirty or six. twenty-
five -

Grace - well - ok?

Wakelin - yeah, ok.

Grace - ok.

Has.

6:35 P.m. - out #2.

Buford (first name) - Called 1127 (listed
as H. B. Grace).

Grace - Hello.

Buford - Discussed the purchase of
various tracts of land
near Plainview, Ark., from
which it appeared that
Grace had charge of renting
and selling foreclosed property
for a bank.

Grace - Advised he would be
over there Tuesday night
and would have more
information about the
property.

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6:40 P.m. - In #1.

Woman - asked for Bob Moore -
Not in.

6:45 P.m. - In #2.

Woman - asked for Akers -

Akers - Hello -

Woman - Dutch, have you seen
Betty tonight?

Akers - She and that other girl
passed by Spencer's while
I was eating supper going
up towards your house.

Woman - Well, she said she was
going to the picture-show - I
guess that's where she is.

6:55 P.m. - In #2.

Long Dist. Call from Associated Press at
Little Rock, Ark., for Akers.

Akers - Hello.

Man - Inquired information
(cont.)

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concerning the Grover case -

Akers - Informed that the prisoner, Earl E. Grover, was being held for investigation of arson and murder in connection with his wife's death; that only the bed and one room of the rooming house was burned and the Fire Dept. wasn't called.

6:58 P.m. - in #1.

Mrs. Wakelin - Asked for Chief Wakelin
Akers - He's gone out.

Mrs. Wakelin - advised she had burned out a fuse at her house and lights were off.
Akers - I'll call the City Light Dept.

7:00 P.m. - out #1.

Akers - Called 161 (H.S. City Barn) and instructed man to get the lights on in Chief Wakelin's home at 215 Fraser Street.

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7:05 P.m. - In #2. Haw.

Man - asked for Akers.

Akers - Hello -

Man - gave his name as John
and said he wanted to
talk to Akers. Would he
right over to the station.

7:08 P.m. - out #2.

Man - Called 2105. Haw.

Man - Hello -

Man - who drives a car with Ark
license # 91-463 on it?

Man - I have no way of knowing.

Man - Well Buchanan said you
might be able to tell.

Man - No. Joe might be able to
call his residence

7:10 P.m. - In #1. Haw.

Woman - asked for Wakelin -
not in.

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724 Outgoing #173 Ghu

Akers = 770 (Heady Funeral Home)

Man = Heady's

Akers = What time did you answer
that call on prospect last
night?

Man = Luth - I don't know exactly
but it was about 1:15 am.

Akers = Ose Sanders

732 Incoming #446 Ghu
Officer Reporting = 3337 Tonestown.

742 Incoming #173 Ghu

Jucker = Chief's Office

Woman = Is Milford Sanders about?

Jucker = I haven't seen him tonight.

Woman = Thanks.

804 Incoming #173 Ghu

Man called and reported a
drunk at 325 Vine St.

814 Incoming # 446 Ghr

Akers - City Jail

Scudder - Dutch, have you placed any charge against that fellow (Grover)?

Akers - No - we're just holding him for investigation -

Say - what are you doing?

Scudder - Nothing.

Akers - I think I've uncovered something and I want you to go out with me

Scudder - Ok, let me know when you're ready.

837 Incoming # 173 Ghr

Long Distance from Commercial Appeal - Memphis -

Akers - Hello -

Man - This is the Commercial Appeal in Memphis. We want to get the straight of this Grover case. Has he been formerly charged?

Akers - No - he is being held on charges

of Investigation until the
hearing in the morning.

Man - Has he made a confession?

Akers - No. He's being held without
bond for questioning.

Man - Thanks very much

Akers - All right.

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846 Incoming #173 GRW

Atus = Hello -

Bill Moore - Dutch - this is Bill Moore,
did you find Peeney?

Atus = No.

Moore - Well, he came in after
his brother left.

Atus = Is he all right?

Moore = Yes - he's OK.

847 Incoming #446 GRW

Call for Hakelin - Not In

850 Incoming #173 GRW

Officer Davis called from the
hospital and asked for relief.
Was told that someone would
be sent out to relieve him.

855 Incoming #173 GRW

Woman reported a man lying in
the street at 460 Prospect Ave.

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9:14 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Girl: Is Bob Moore there?

Moore: Hello.

Girl: Are you busy?

Moore: Yes - kind of.

Girl: I wonder if I came to the station, if you could talk to me.

Moore: Yes, come right on over.

9:15 P.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Woman called in and reported a drunk lying on his back in front of drug store on Orange and Duval Sts.

9:16 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Officer Lloyd Davis called in and said that he was at the New Park Hospital guarding John - that he was feeling sick + wanted to be relieved. Wiers or Brock said they would send some one up to relieve him.

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9:17 P.M. Outgoing on # 123 J L M.

Evans: 1171

Woman: Hello.

Evans: Did you call me?

Woman: No, I didn't.

Evans: Well somebody called me - I just got in.

Woman: I didn't call.

Evans: I'll be home in a little while.

9:19 P.M. Outgoing on # 123 J L M.

Bonett Moore: # 1965

Woman: Hello.

Moore: Did you call me - I just got back.

Woman: No, I thought you were sick. Two women came over here to see you they said that they inquired about you at the station, & some one there informed that you were sick. I called you several times myself but couldn't get any satisfaction as to where you were.

Moore: Well, I'm all right - I'll be up there in a little bit. 55

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9:25 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Woman: Is Capt. Brown there?
Morse: Hello.
Woman: This is the New Park Hospital - &
officer on duty here is very sick.
He has pains in his stomach, &
he's very much nauseated.
Morse: I have a man coming up there to
relieve him.

9:26 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Officer reported in from 511 Jonestown.

9:30 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Henry Guest called in and complained
that his son-in-law was very much
drunk, & that his daughter can't do any
thing with him. - Suggested that an of-
ficer come down and either take him
home or lock him up in jail. Brooks
said he would send some one to him.

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9:52 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Officer Murray reported in from #116.

10:00 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Outgoing call to 353 - No answer.

10:30 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J.L.M.
Roy Emery: 2393
Woman: Hello.

Emery: Is Marvin (Anderson) there?
Anderson: Hello.

Emery: This is Roy - I just got in - we
had 40 men looking around out
there, + we haven't found that baby
yet. I think we ought to have
some more volunteers with torches
for tonight.

Anderson: How long has that baby been
missing?

Emery: Since 3 o'clock this afternoon - it's only
two years old, + it'll die from ex-
posure if we don't find it right soon.
Anderson: I'll be down to the station in a little while.

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10:33 P.M. Outgoing on #223 J.L.M.
Cecil Brock called #3328 and talked with Mr.
Mr. Langhlin about getting some boy scouts
to look for the lost baby tonight. The doctor
advised he wouldn't be able to get them out
tonight, but that he would send them out there
in morning.

10:34 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Postal Telegraph called for Cecil Brock
and advised that the following wire was re-
ceived for him from Washington:
"Retel Carl Johnson and Michael Alexander
unable to identify."

Hoover."

10:36 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Capt. Bob Moore called the Army + Navy
+ asked for Sgt. Bogatz. was advised he was
out just then, was told to call Capt. Moore when he came
back

10:40 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Brock called #210 (Ohio Club) for Sgt. Bogatz - NOT THERE

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10:54 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.
Capt. Moore called the Army & Navy and
requested some men from the National
Guard to search through the woods for
the missing Warren baby.

10:55 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Long distance call from Little Rock for
Herbert Ahrens - operator was told to call
his home at #666.

10:59 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Mrs. Brock called for Cecil Brock -
was informed he just left the station.

11:03 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.
Officer Murray reported in from #777.

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11:03 P.m. - out #1

Moore - Called 291 (H.S. Confectionary)
Line Busy.

11:05 P.m. - out #1

Moore - Called 222

No one answered.

11:07 P.m. - In #2. For Sheriff Anderson.
Anderson - Hello-

Man - Completed arrangements with Sheriff
to have Nat. Guard mobilized to
search for lost child.

Has.

11:10 P.m. - In #2.

Man - Requested information from Moore
as to lost child. Offered to
furnish some men from the
Army - Navy Hospital.

Has.

11:15 P.m. - L.D. Call in #2.

Man - gave name as Edward Davis and
phone # Rosedale 3685, St. Louis,
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Missioni, requested Moore to get word to his sister Sadie Buster at 204 Garden Street to call him at St. Louis.

Moore - Advised he would send a Western Union messenger.

11:20 Pm. - In #2

Hos.

Moore - Hello

Gil - Advised Moore she talked to him on a bus trip, and advised she was passing thru Hot Spring.

Moore - Advised he was busy, but for her to call next time she came thru.

11:22 Pm. - out #1.

Hos.

Sheriff Anderson - Called 454 and requested that Mrs. Swayer loan a number of flashlights from Vaughn Hardware store.

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for -

11:24 Pm. - out #1.

Sheriff Anderson - called 613 (his office) and instructed a deputy to secure lights from Walgren Hardware Co.

11:30 Pm. - out #1.

Moore - called 25 (Checker Cab) and arranged with Jack Bridges to be furnished a bus for transportation.

11:45 Pm. - out #2.

for -

Jack - called 217 (Chicago Ligar Store) and left message for any volunteers to aid in locating lost child

#3
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TADON T LEPHON # 648,
LISTED TO MAYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY HALL, HOT SPRINGS, AR.
SURVEILLANCE AT 207 LAURE.

9:00 Incoming Stan
Miss Marsh - Mayor's Office
Man - Is Roy Bushon there?
Miss Marsh - No, I haven't seen him
this morning.
Man - If he comes in have him
call John Seader.
Miss Marsh - All right.

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9.05 A.M. Incoming J.L.M.

George: This is George - I got word for me to call you.

Mayor: Yes. I want you to go with Jack to -
tomorrow morning and serve those
papers.

George: I would have done it sooner, but I've
been sick for a week.

Mayor: Yes, I know how you've been sick
you've been drunk for a week. That
would make anyone sick.

George: Yes, I have been pretty drunk.

Mayor: Well, you better handle that tomorrow
morning.

George: O.K.

9.17 A.M. Incoming ~~in~~ J.L.M.

Allen Watkins: Leo, you said for me to call
you this morning.

Mayor: I'll be busy today - I think we can
take those depositions tomorrow
morning.

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9:23 A.M. Incoming J.L.M.

Henry: Leo, this is Henry - did you ever find your carburetor + things?

Mayor: I told Gus, + he will have everything ready in the morning.

9:41 A.M. Outgoing J.L.M.

Miss Marsh: #446

Sgt: City Jail.

Miss Marsh: Is Cecil Brock there?

Brock: Hello.

Miss Marsh: Hatch wants you and Buchanan to come to the Mayor's office right away.

Brock: O.K. we'll be right - p.

9:55 A.M. Outgoing J.L.M.

Miss Marsh called 2482 (Lomo Beauty Shop) + made an appointment for 4:00 P.M.

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10:45 A.M. Outgoing

J. L. M.

Miss Marsh: 203

Woman: Hello.

Miss Marsh: Is Miss Mayo there?

Woman: No, not yet.

10:46 A.M. Incoming

J. L. M.

Woman called and advised Miss Marsh that her dress had arrived at the store

10:52 A.M. Outgoing

J. L. M.

Mayor called long distance for Grover Owens at Little Rock. They discussed the developments in the Mayo's divorce suit - lengthy conversation indicated nothing of importance.

10:57 A.M. Outgoing

J. L. M.

Mayor: 707 (Circuit Clerk's Office)

~~Bill~~: Is Johnny there?

Bill: No, he's out just now - this is Bill.

Mayor: Did Mr. Wood order any transcripts of those cases?

R. W. M.: He was in here this morning & ordered one

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Mayor: #477.

Man: Hello.

Mayor: Earl, this is Leo. I want to borrow a couple of law books from you. I'll send Elmer up after him.

Man: O.K. Leo, you can have them.

11:00 A.M. Outgoing

J.L.M.

Mayor: 1124

Man: Hello.

Mayor: Is Elmer there?

Elmer: Hello.

Mayor: I wish you would go to Judge Witt's office in the Court House and bring those two books over here.

Elmer: O.K.

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11¹⁴ Am Outgoing *Edna*
Mayor = 436 (Constable's Office)
John Young = Hello -
Mayor = This is Leo - Come over this way. I want to see you.

11¹⁵ Am Outgoing *Edna*
Mayor = 1037 (Emory & Ridgway, Atty.)
Norman = Emory & Ridgway
Mayor = Is Emory there?
Norman = No, he hasn't been down this morning.

11²¹ Am Incoming *Edna*
Miss Marsh = Mayor's Office
Mrs Haynes (believed to be wife of uncle of John Dixon): May, I speak to the Mayor
Mayor = Hello
Mrs Haynes = This is Mrs Haynes. I just talked with Dr. Merritt.
Mayor = Well, you'll have to straighten all that out with him.
Mrs Haynes = Well, I did talk with him but he wouldn't even tell me what

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hospital he was in.

Mayor - Well, Dr. Merritt is in charge of the case. I don't know anything about how they handle those cases. They may be getting ready to take a statement.

Mrs Haynes: Well, John's father is so worried and I wanted to get another Doctor to examine him.

Mayor - Well, you see Dr. Merritt and you call me later.

Mrs Haynes: All right.

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2:29 P.M. Incoming

J. L. M.

Mr. Adams called Miss Marsh + told her that "Sib" did not get his shot today.

2:36 P.M. Incoming

J. L. M.

Earl Witt: Is Leo in?

Miss Marsh: No, he won't be in this afternoon

Earl Witt: I heard Houston say he had an appointment with him for 3 o'clock. I thought I would drop by.

Miss Marsh: Well, I don't know any thing about it. You want me to get in touch with Leo, + have him call you

Earl Witt: No, I'll call at three o'clock.

2:38 P.M. Outgoing

J. L. M.

Miss Marsh called #600 (Mayor's residence),
No answer.

2:59 P.M. Outgoing

J. L. M.

Miss Marsh: #600

McLaughlin: Hello.

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Miss Marsh: Earl Witt called and said that he had an appointment with you and Houston over here at three o'clock. Have you an appointment with him?

Mayor: They must be both crazy - what in the hell does Houston want to see me about?

Miss Marsh: I don't know. Earl is going to call at three - what do you want me to tell him?

Mayor: I'm going out riding with the horse now - tell him if he wants to talk to me to watch for me on Central Ave.

Miss Marsh: O.K.

Mayor: Anything else doing - any mail

Miss Marsh: Just several Xmas cards.

Mayor: I'll call you at the house.

3:09 P.M. Incoming

J.L.M.

Mayor: Did Earl Witt call me yet.

Miss Marsh: No

Mayor: I'm going out riding now with the horse

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3:15 P.M. Incoming

J. L. M.

Earl Witt: Is Leo in?

Miss Marsh: No, he's going to be riding up
the street, + you can see him
if you want him.

Earl Witt: I'll see him in the morning.

3:17 P.M. Outgoing on #446

J. L. M.

Arch Cooper: Called #571 - No answer.

3:20 P.M. Incoming on #446

J. L. M.

Mar: Is Curtis Ridgway there?

Sgt: No, you might try his office.

~~3:31 P.M. Outgoing on 123~~

~~J. L. M.~~

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Taps on #446 (City Jail)
and #123 (Chief Police)
Plant at 207 Laurel St.
Hot Springs, Ark.

Folder #1

Has

12:01 Am - In #1.
Officer (Murray) - Reported at 116 (Miller's)

12:02 Am - In #2.
Roy (at Checker Cab Co.) - Advised Moore the
bus was ready when he needs
it.

Has

12:30 Am - Out #2
Capt. McLaughlin (Nat. Guard) - Called 383 (Riggs
Motor Co.) Requested Capt. Brown
with Nat. Guard be called
to phone from armory upstairs
and discussed plans with him
for transportation of the company

Has

12:45 Am - In #2.
Man - gave name of Lee, at Citizen's
Liquor Store - offered assistance in
searching for lost child -

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Has.

1:00 Am. - In #2.

Moore - Hello -

Man - There's a drunk woman upstairs
at the Hatteria Hotel raising
hell, screaming, and
breaking out window glass

Moore - OK -

1:10 Am - In #1.

Officer - Reported at 777.

Has -

1:20 Am - Out #2.

Moore - Called 25 (Checker Cab) and
instructed man to send the
bus to Riggs Motor Co. to
pick up the National Guard.

1:55 Am - In #1.

Officer - Reported at 126. Requested
Moore to send a car and
he would relieve Kelly -

Has

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2:18 Am. - out #2 -

Wakelin - Called 3424 (Hatterie Hotel)

Maid - Hello.

Wakelin - Is Grace there?

Grace - Hello.

Wakelin - Well, didn't I tell you to go to bed early tonight?

Grace - Oh, I went out for a while after I got in. Went over to the Confectionary. Then I went over to the Post Office to mail some Xmas cards.

Met Dr. Blackshare at the Post Office and talked to him about thirty minutes.

Wakelin - Yeah?

Grace - Yeah, and when I got back from the Post Office I found Connie on a tear. She's got the "blues" mighty bad. She's got a friend over at the Majestic and went to see him early tonight. Must
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have gotten too much to drink.
Wakelin - Well -

Grace - Didn't you know about it?

Wakelin - I haven't heard. just got
in a while ago from the
country.

Grace - Well, she tried to jump out
of a window up stairs on
the third floor - just drunk
a couple of officers came over
and started to lock her
up -

Wakelin - From here?

Grace - Yeah - Don't know their
names - Couple of young
ones -

Wakelin - Who called up and reported it

Grace - I don't know - Someone
across the street I think.
She's just got the "blues"
and had too much to

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drink - she's downhearted and homesick, but I think she's been afraid to go home - so she tried to jump out the window.

Wakelin - Well - I'll be damned.

Grace - I saw you tonight.

Wakelin - Where?

Grace - You saw me too - While I was sitting out in the car by the Post Office talking to Dr. Blackshare.

Wakelin - You're a tripler - I swear I didn't see you. Guess I was hurrying home to get some flashlights - You know that child has been lost in the woods.

Grace - Aw?

Wakelin - Yeah, when I got here tonight after leaving you had to go out in the

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country to see about that.

About 30 or 40 National Guards
have just gone out there now.

Grace - I saw the soldiers down-
town. They haven't found
the baby yet?

Wakelin - No.

Grace - Here's Connie now. What
do you want me to tell her
for you?

Wakelin - Tell her I'll bring this
hide down there and wrap
it across her back -

Grace - Yeah, she needs it. So
they haven't found that
child yet?

Wakelin - No.

Grace - For Christ's sake.

Wakelin - The National Guard has
been messing around here
for three or four hours
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(Cont.)

and just got away.

Grace - Well. I thought you saw me sitting in that car tonight.

Wakelin - You tripler.

Grace - Little skips don't count. I was just sitting there talkin. Wait a minute, honey.

Wakelin - (pause) all right.

Grace - I was just trying to coax Connie to go riding. Fresh air might do her good. You come get her and make her go.

Wakelin - Yeah -

Grace - I was just kidding. A little more tonight and she might have been one of your guests down there. Her eyes are all red and her hair looks like a picked chicken - where we washed her face.

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Wakelin - (laughed)

Grace - Are you going home now?

Wakelin - No, I guess I'll be here
a little bit longer.

Grace - Who was it that came
up here after Connie. They
were young.

Wakelin - I don't know. Might have
been Rogers.

Grace - Just wondering. (pause) Well,
we're up mighty late
tonight.

Wakelin - Tolerable.

Grace - After I left you I came
in and wrote some letters
and fooled around.

Wakelin - Yeah, I came by here
and all this mess about
that kid was started.

Grace - Where is it lost?

Wakelin - About seven miles from
town near the lake.

Grace - My goodness.

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Has-

Wakelin - Yeah. I went out there
for a while. May go back

Grace - I'll go too, maybe? (laughed)

Wakelin - I'm not sleepy, are you?

Grace - Not tonight. Like I was
last night

Wakelin - I was sleepy then too.
Couldn't hardly keep my
eyes open. Well, if I
was you I wouldn't stay
up too late.

Grace - It's too late now. You
may get sick if you go
back out there. They've
got enough help.

Wakelin - I suppose. There's about
seventy-five out there now.

Grace - Good night!

Wakelin - Well, where's that stum-
ball now?

Grace - She's here. Want to talk
to her?

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Wakelin - Put her on.

Connie - Hello.

Wakelin - What's the matter?

Connie - Nothing. Why?

Wakelin - Forget about your worries.
Wait until you've got some
worries - like me -

Connie - Yeah?

Wakelin - You devil -

Connie - Yeah?

Wakelin - Forget about worrying. Let's
see you do it. Wish I
had some of what you've
got -

Connie - Yeah? What?

Wakelin - Whiskey (laughter)

Connie - I just had a couple. G'bye

Grace - I don't think Connie's
nice - drinking whiskey.

Wakelin - Now. Me either.

Grace - Well, you've been drinkin'
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beer -

Wakelin - That's just a belly-wash.

Grace - Aw, behave. Connie's sure
in the "dumps" - got the "blues"
she's gone down stairs now.
I told them to watch her.
She broke out a window,
and I bawled her out.
Everybody in town will
know about it in the
morning

Wakelin - Can't you get that out
of her system?

Grace - I don't know what got
into her tonight. (pause)
Just sent the maid out
to follow her. I don't
care what she does up
here so long as she stays
inside up here - but all
that breaking glass - outside.
That's bad!

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Has.

Wakelin - You'd better go watch her now.

Grace - I'm just letting her go - she'll get over her drunk.

Wakelin - Yeah that's the best way.

Grace - Wait a minute. (pause).
I just asked Lillian if Dr. Boydstone went with her - I think he did. He'll straighten her out.

Wakelin - Was she hurt much?

Grace - Not much - I don't like all that outside stuff -

Wakelin - That is bad.

Grace - She's been homesick and afraid to go home -

Wakelin - Where is her home?

Grace - She's from Oklahoma -
Frederick - across from
Wichita Falls.

Wakelin - Well, that won't help her any.

Grace - No, not if she goes out the window. Maybe Dr. Boydstone will fix her up.

Wakelin - He'll ride her around some.

Grace - Yeah, I guess she's gone with him. This really burns me up. I'll really raise hell with her tomorrow about that outside stuff, I mean. I wouldn't mind if it was inside the house, or if it was a back window that she tried to jump out - but this was the front window - right over the street. Well, I guess she'll be OK when she gets sober.

Wakelin - Yeah -

Grace - Hell, she's got enough to be thankful for.

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Has-

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Her health - and a good
place to stay -

Wakelin - Yeah -

Grace - Well, I'll be at home
the rest of the night, I guess

Wakelin - Do I have to stay up
all night to see?

Grace - Oh, I was just around
at the Post Office mailing
my Xmas cards. Dr. Black
share's office is across the
street from here and he
comes over down - stairs
to play the pin - ball machine
a lot. We just talked
politics tonight. He told
me he helped elect Carl
Bailey. Worked for him
in this county -

(noise) What's that?

Wakelin - My chair squeaked -

Grace - Yeah?

Wakelin - That's my story - Get me
a bottle of liquor. I need
a drink!

Grace - I'm disgusted with it -
after tonight

Wakelin - He ought to have seen
us sometimes this summer

Grace - That was out.

Wakelin - Yeah, I was almost out.

Grace - I don't like to get drunk -
makes you do things you
wouldn't ordinarily do.

Wakelin - Yeah -

Grace - You know I wasn't home
from the Post Office when
all this happened tonight.
Seems like I always miss
everything.

Wakelin - You're just an hour late
and a dollar short.

Grace - I was gone for a good
bit, I guess - (pause) Shine

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Has -

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is following Lillian around.

Wakelin - You ought to train him to look after Connie.

Grace - Yeah, he could have held her down. (pans) Well, I got nearly three o'clock - Good God.

Wakelin - Well, I'm doing pretty good.

Grace - Me too. Be hard to go to sleep now.

Wakelin - Yeah - Me too. My eyes stay wide open at nights from worrying. My window isn't high enough, though, to jump out.

Grace - You monkey.

Wakelin - Well, I guess you want to get away.

Grace - No. There's no one here now but one girl. One of them went over to

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Hot.

the Majestic Hotel and hasn't come back yet. Hope she's all right. Connie makes me disgusted. something like this gets me all downhearted. I told her in the beginning that I'd raise hell if she did anything like that.

Wakelin - looks like she's got more sense -

Grace - yes - and at a front window too. Third floor -

(Wakelin - Did somebody try to stop her?

Grace - The maid caught her.

Wakelin - why'd she break the window?

Grace - just trying to get out of it. When I got home I saw all the glass on the street and wondered what the hell.

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Hos.

Wakelin - Well, a lot of times that is just bluff. Sometimes they wouldn't try to commit suicide unless they know someone is there to stop them. I don't intend to try it though.

Grace - No. Me either. Not until next Tuesday.

Wakelin - Where is she now?

Grace - Guess she left. Got tired of listening to me.

Wakelin - Well, I just called to tell you about that lost kid.

Grace - I saw you turn into the driveway by the station while I was sitting out by the Post Office. I was listening to Dr. Blackshare talk about Carl Bailey. I wasn't missing.

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nothing. He seemed to think that Bailey is going to raise some Hell over here when he gets in.

Wakelin - I look for it myself.

Grace - Doc must have been campaigning for Bailey pretty strong.

Wakelin - What part is he going to play in it?

Grace - Nothing, I guess. He was just telling me that Bailey would raise Hell here, and for the sake of argument I said he wouldn't. I don't guess he'll have anything to do with it, though.

Wakelin - Well, if Bailey don't start in and show his butt down here, we ought to have a pretty good season

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Has.

Grace - Maybe he wont. Lot of people say he wont.
Wakelin - Yeah - A fellow at the Southern Grill the other day said everything will be all right.

Grace - Jesus, I hope everything will be all right, so I can make a dollar ninety-eight this winter.

Wakelin - Yeah - Me too -

Grace - Well, this is the latest I've been up in a long time.

Wakelin - Me too - I may stay up all night, but I've got to be in court in the morning.

Grace - I've got an advantage over you - I can stay in bed as long as I want to.

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Has.

Wakelin - was just studying whether
I'd go out in the country
again.

Grace - I saw all the National
Guard.

Wakelin - They give me a pain -
The men from the Army-
Navy Hospital went out
in thirty minutes, but
the National Guard under
Capt. Mac took too long -
He wasted two hours by
making them dress again.
We waited on them a long
time in the country - and
they still hadn't left when
we got to town.

Grace - good night! (pause)
just stretching.

Wakelin - Well, it's about three
o'clock now so I think
I'll stir around some

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Has

and then go to bed.
(clicks heard in phone).
Somebody is trying to call
you or me - You'd better
go to bed - See you tonight -
Wakelin - all right

(Note: Above conversation lasted ap-
proximately 45 minutes -

Dr. W. M. Blackshare is listed as
Office - Medical Arts Bldg., Ph. 302.
Res. - Malvern Road, Ph. 1046.

Dr. J. O. Boydstone is listed as:
Office - 231 Central, Ph. 722.
Res. - 122 Kenwood Pl., Ph. 2262

Refer also to complaint received
over #123 (#2) at 1:00 A.M., 12-21-36
concerning drunk woman at
Hatterie Hotel.)

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has,

3:02 Am. - In #2.

Woman - Asked for Moore.
Lorrington - He's not here.

3:05 Am. - In #1.

Officer (Kelly) - Reported at 777.

has

3:20 Am. - In #2.

Woman - Asked for Moore.
Not in.

4:00 Am. - In #1.

Officer - (Kelly) at 777.

4:10 Am. - Out #1

has

Buchanan - Called 1416 (his res.) &
spoke to his wife about
domestic matters.

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Has.

5:05 Am. - In #1.

Officer (Griffin) - Reported at 777.

6:00 Am. - Out #2.

Corrington - Called 1038 and woke up
Mrs. Magunkins.

Has.

6:02 Am. - In #1.

Woman - Inquired number of backpacks
Corrington - Yes.

6:30 Am. - In #2.

Davis (City Nightwatchman) - Advised Griffin
that members of National
Guard had returned from
searching for lost child.

7:02 Am. - Out #1.

Has.

Moore - Called 1987 (Spencer's)
No one answered.

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Has

7:15 A.M. - out #1,

Moore - called 1987 (Spencer's) and asked for James, the expressman.

Man - He's not here yet.

Moore - Tell him to call me when he comes in.

7:30 A.M. - out #2.

Has

Moore - called 661 (City Barn & Garage) Requested anyone possible to help locate lost child -

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747 Incoming #173 Gher
Woman called and asked if
Mr Sanders was in. She was
told that Sanders had been in.

814 Incoming #173 Gher
Corrington - Chief's Office
man - Let me speak to Bob Moore.
Moore - Hello.
man - Bob, this is James. Did you
call me?
Moore - Yes, come by over here. I
want to talk with you.
man - All right

823 Outgoing #173 Gher
Bob Moore - 2142 (Belvedere Dairy)
man - Hello
Moore - This is Bob. did you call me?
man - Yes - do you need some men
to help look for that child?
Moore - Yes -
man - Ok I send you 2 or 3 men.
Moore - Tell them to come to the jail.

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8⁴⁵ Incoming #173 Glen
Call for Carly Evans - Not In

9⁰⁰ Incoming #446 Glen
Man called and asked for
Ray Buxton. Not In.

9⁰⁵ Incoming #173 Glen
Corrington: Chief's Office
Man: Is Bob Moore there?
Corrington: No, he's up in Court. Call
in about 20 minutes.
Man: Thanks

9¹⁵ Incoming #173 Glen
Officer Kelly called and asked
that someone be sent to the
hospital to relieve him.

9¹⁸ Incoming #446 Glen
Man called and asked for Bob Moore
Was told that Bob was in Court.

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938 Incoming #446 Elmer
Carrington - City Jail
Roy Buckton - Is Cecil Brock there?
Brock - Hello.
Buckton - Cecil, come on upstairs
they want you.
Brock - OK.

952 Outgoing #446 Elmer
- But Moore called Mrs. Rogers and
told her that Capt Rogers would
not be home in view of the fact
that he had gone to search for
the missing baby.

955 Incoming #173 Elmer
Norman called and asked for
John Young. She was told that
Young was not in. She asked that
he be told to call 436.

958 Outgoing #446
Man called #3574 (Plein's Restaurant) and
ordered 12 dinners.

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10⁰⁰ Incoming #103 Ehu

Lucker: Chief's Office

Homan: May I speak to Arch Cooper.

Cooper: Hello.

Homan: Arch, have you got
anything for me yet?

Cooper: No - not yet

Homan: All right.

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10:05 A.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man: Is the Chief in?

Arch Cooper: No.

10:15 A.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man called in for Arch Brock - not in.

10:16 A.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man called in and reported an explosion and fire at 6th + Hobson Streets.

10:17 A.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Man called in for Blutch - was told he just went out on a call.

10:18 A.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Man: Is Arch there?

Sgt: No, he isn't.

Man: How did the Yates trial come out?

Sgt: I don't know - you better call later for Arch.

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10:29 A.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.

Woman: Is Glen Buchanan there?

Sgt: No.

Woman: Mr. Tucker - this is Edna. When
Glen comes in have him call me.

Sgt: All right.

10:48 A.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.

Woman: This is the lady at 411 Prospect Street
where that woman burned to death.
You might send someone up here
to inspect some more things that
we found.

Tucker: They're all out now - when some
one comes in, I'll send him up.

10:49 A.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.

This is Western Union - is John Sudder
there? No.

10:50 A.M. Outgoing on #446 J.L.M.

Tucker called #3574 and ordered 10
dinners.

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10:51 A.M. Incoming on #446

J. L. M.

Pete: Is Chief Wabline there?

Chief: Hello.

Pete: This is Pete from the Sheriff's office - all the boys are out looking for that baby, + I just got an accident report at the Government fountain - I wonder if you could send a man over there

Chief: O.K. Pete, we'll tend to it.

11:02 A.M. Incoming on #446

J. L. M.

Ledgewood: In regards to Odame Evans - we've going to have him released today - he's been in jail long enough.

Tricker: He's on the chain gang, + won't be in before five o'clock.

Ledgewood: That'll be all right.

11:05 A.M. Incoming on #123

J. L. M.

John Connelley called Cecil Brock and asked if he could get him a photograph of Vance Dover Bardlow, the room provider, who was arrested

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by the Little Rock Police last week.
Civil said he would send for me, +
give it to ~~me~~ him

11:06 A.M. Outgoing on #446

J. L. M.

Arch Cooper: 321 (Mr. D. C. Lee)

Thomson: Hello.

Arch Cooper: Is Mrs. Cooper there?

Mrs. Cooper: Hello.

Arch Cooper: I'm going to the country to look
for that lost boy. I won't be
home for lunch.

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11²⁵ Outgoing #446 Edm

Akers = 777

man = Hello

Akers = Send 100 Bayers Aspirin to the
City Jail

man = All right.

11³⁰ Outgoing #173 Edm

Akers called Agent Samson at 6734
Little Rock

Samson = Hello -

Akers = This is Akers. I gave you
the dope on Linders - the
car thief.

Samson = Yes.

Akers = If you get the dope to
Memphis I'm sure you'll be
able to pick him up. He's got
another thief with him and
they're driving a new Chevrolet
with an Arkansas license.
The car is equipped with a
solid tire cover.

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Damon: You don't know the
other fellows name?

Akers - No, I don't but if you'll
get word to Memphis I'm
sure they can locate them.

Damon - OK - Thanks for calling.

11³⁴ Incoming #173 Blue

Tucker - Chief's Office

Curtis Ridgway - Is Akers there?

Akers - Hello

Ridgway - This is Curtis. Have you
talked to Grover again?

Akers - No

Ridgway - Don't you think we might
have another session with
him this afternoon

Akers - Yes, I'm going up to the
rooming house now. They just
called and said they had
something for me

Ridgway - OK, I'll see you this afternoon

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1140 Incoming #446 Alvin
Tucker - City Jail

Fannie McLaughlin - Is Cecil Brock there?

Tucker - No, he's not here.

Fannie McLaughlin - Is Mr. Akers there?

Akers - Hello.

Fannie McLaughlin - This is Fannie. That
boy that they put in jail
this morning - do you want
to send him over for treatment?
He has an acute case of
Syphilis.

Akers - OK. will send him over after
dinner.

1144 Incoming #173 Alvin
Homan called and entered a
complaint about boy shooting
fire crackers in vacant lot next
St. First Methodist Church.

1145 Incoming #173 Alvin
Man called and asked if boy by name
of Prince was in jail. Has told yes.

1146 Incoming #173 Glen
Man called and asked for
Doctor Merritt was there. Was
told that the Doctor was not there

1215 Incoming #173 Glen
Louise Cooper called and asked
for Cecil Brock. Was told that
Cecil was not in.

1222 Incoming #446 Glen
Mrs Skakelin called for Chief - Not in.

1244 Outgoing #173 Glen
Brock = 2627
Ada Gardner = Hello.

Brock = Ada - This is Cecil. There
is a Department of Justice man
here and he wants to talk
with you about that cripple
boy. Help him all you can,
will you. He's on the way up
there now.

Ada Gardner = All right, I will.

Brock = Thank you, Sugar. 37

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1:00 Pm Incoming #173 Ghu

Brock = Chief's Office

Man = There's a man over here at the Missouri-Pacific. He looks like he's stolen something.

1:20 Pm Outgoing #173 Ghu

Curtis Ridgway = 79 (Gross Montuary)

Hert = Hello -

Ridgway = Hert - this is Curtis Ridgway

There was some talk about

Grover being overheard to say that he'd shave it off so no one else could ever have any

of it. Did you or can you examine her privates and tell

Hert - Curtis, I didn't notice but she take a look and call you.

Ridgway = I wish you would.

1:33 Outgoing #173 Ghu

Akers = 1980 T. (Mr. Castleberry).

Woman = Hello -

Akers = Is Mr. Castleberry there?

Woman = No.

Akers = Ask him to call Herbert Akers when he comes in.

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142 Pm Outgoing #173 John

Akers called Chief of Police at
Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

Chief: Hello.

Akers: This is Herbert Akers with the
Hot Springs Police Department.

I'm working on a murder case
and I want you to help me.

Do you know about E.E.

Grover who lived there recently
and who had some kind of
trouble with his wife?

Chief: Yes - she got drunk while she
was here and he hit her and
gave her a black eye.

Akers: Well, I wish you'd look into
the case making investigation
at the places they lived. Write
me a letter and let me have
all the information you can
get. We are holding him for the
murder of his wife.

Chief: All right. I'll be glad to do
that for you.

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146 Incoming #446 John

Jucker - City Jail

Hert (GROSS MORTUARY) - Is Curtis Ridgway there
Ridgway - Hello -

Hert - Curtis - this is Hert. He took
a look at her and we all are
of the opinion that she's
been shaved. You better
check at the Hospital tho' cause
it might have been done there

155 Outgoing #446 John

Man - 5089 - No answer

710 Outgoing #446 GRM

Joe Scott called Checker Cab Co

and asked them if they would

send a bus to take out a load

of searchers to look for lost baby.

Man said they would.

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716 Incoming #173 Elmer
Hert at Gross Mortuary called
Okers and said he had been
unable to locate the Doctor
but would keep trying.

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2:28 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J L M.
Outgoing call to 969 - No answer.

2:38 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J L M.
Man: #474 (Western Union) - Send
boy around to the City Jail.

2:41 P.M. Incoming on #446 J L M.
Buddy: Is the old man there?
Evans: No, he's out in the country looking
for that baby.

2:44 P.M. Outgoing on #446 J L M.
Arch Cooper called 3339, his residence, + and
asked if he got that brown envelope with
the check in it - was informed No.

2:45 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J L M.
Evans: #2089
Nurse: New Park Hospital.
Evans: Barnett Moore, please.
Moore: Hello.
Evans: Did you do that for me?
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Moore: I sent Ruby out there instead.

Evans: Sure, I just got in - I'm going to sleep in a little while.

3:03 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J.L.M.

Arch Cooper called long distance to Atty. Ernest Brenner at Benton, Ark.

Unable to locate him - operator will try again.

3:07 P.M. Incoming on #446 J.L.M.

Man: Is Dutch there?

Sgt: No, he isn't.

Man: When he comes in - have him call 359.

3:31 P.M. Outgoing on #123 J.L.M.

Buchanan: 2185

Man: Hello.

Buchanan: Check 1936 Ark. State License # 91-463, & let me have all the data on it.

Man: We don't have any record of the State Licenses - have to get that at Little Rock

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3:53 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J L M

Arch Cooper: 327

Clerk: Marquette Hotel.

Arch Cooper: Who is this?

Clerk: Smitty.

Arch Cooper: This is Arch - there'll be a party over there in a little while to get a room.

What room are you going to give him

Clerk: 215.

Arch Cooper: O.K.

3:55 P.M. Incoming on #123

J L M

Man: Who is this?

Cooper: Arch Cooper.

Man: This is Ray. How badly is Bill ^{the} Cooper?

Cooper: Not much.

Man: He was pretty drunk, wasn't he?

Cooper: Yes, but he's all right now.

3:56 P.M. Incoming on #123

J L M.

Man: Is Arch Cooper in?

Sgt: He just now walked outside.

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3:58 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Woman reported a fire at 1616 Central Ave.

4:00 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Long Distance Operator called for Arch
Cooper - not in.

4:15 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Miss Edge: Is Chief Wabelin there?

Wabelin: Hello.

Miss Edge: Hello. How are you feeling?

Wabelin: Not so good - been up all night looking
for that baby that got lost.

Miss Edge: I suppose you're going to be pretty
busy between now and the first.

Wabelin: Yeah -

Miss Edge: When I get down there - don't you take
me down there. If you do, I'll
pull you in with me.

Wabelin: (laughs) O.K.

Miss Edge: I just called to see how you were
feeling. I'll call you sometime again.

Wabelin: All right.

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4:22 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J.L.M.

Wakelin: #2018. (Mandell Carin)

Man: Hello.

Wakelin: Is Tim there?

Man: Call 193.

4:22 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J.L.M.

Wakelin: 193

Man: Hello.

Wakelin: Is Tim there?

Man: Tim is out right now. He went over to the telephone company.

Wakelin: Have him call Wakelin or Albee at 123.

4:25 P.M. Incoming on #446

J.L.M.

Mr. Karsten: Is Cecil Brock there?

Sgt. Tucker: Not in right now.

Mr. Karsten - When you see him - have him call Mr. Karsten at the Eastman Hotel.

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4:29 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J.L.M.

Cecil Brock: 2418 (Eastman Hotel)

Mr. Karsten: Say Cecil, I'd like to retain you for after January 1st - the same basis as last year.

Cecil Brock: O.K. Emmett, I'll take it.

Note: Emmett Karsten is manager of the Eastman Hotel which is one of the larger hotels in Hot Springs.

4:38 P.M. Outgoing on #123

J.L.M.

Akers: 539 (Alt Kraft Camera Shop)

Mom: Hello.

Akers: Is Mr. Russell there?

Russell: Hello.

Akers: Come down + see me this evening.

4:39 P.M. Incoming on #123

J.L.M.

Snail: Mr. Akers please.

Akers: Hello.

Snail: Are you going to be busy tonight?

Akers: Not so busy.

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Girl: How about 7:15 P.M.

Akers: That will be O.K.

Girl: Now, I don't want to miss tonight.

Akers: O.K. I'll watch him.

4:44 P.M. Incoming on # 123

J.L.M.

Radio Station R.T.H.S. called in + reported that they received information that the Harve baby had been found - that the baby was alive + O.K.

4:45 P.M. Incoming on # 123

J.L.M.

Woman for Dutch Akers - not in.

5:09 P.M. Incoming on # 446

J.L.M.

Woman: Is Mr. Akers there?

Akers: Hello.

Woman: Did you catch Dudley Downis yet?

Akers: No, do you know where he lives?

Woman: Yes.

Akers: Better come down to the station, + go out there with one of the boys.

Woman: O.K.

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5:10 P.M. Outgoing on #123.

Akers: 1980-J.

Man: Hello.

Akers: Is Mr. Castleberry there?

Man: No, he's not.

Akers: This is Herbert Akers of the Police Dept.
have him and the other witnesses be
in court tomorrow morning at nine o'
clock.

5:11 P.M. Outgoing on #123

Akers: 1037 (E-mory + Ridgway, attys.) J.R.M.
No answer.

5:15 P.M. Incoming on #123

Roy: Is Barnett Moore in - J.R.M.

Sgt: No, he's not.

Roy: Is Ellen Buchanan there -

Buchanan: Hello.

Roy: Say Buck - this is Roy. How long will
Barnett Moore have to be up there -

Buchanan: Around 9 o'clock.

Roy: O.K. Thanks -

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5:30 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Man called in for Chief Wabekui - out to
supper.

5:33 P.M. Incoming on #123 J.L.M.
Man called for Klutch Akwa - out to supper.

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546 Incoming #173 John
Man called and entered a
complaint about a turkey being
stolen from market at corner
of Jefferson and Pleasant Streets.
Tucker said an officer would
be sent out.

550 Incoming #173 John
Tucker - Chief's Office
Woman: Is Alexander Stevenson in
jail?
Tucker: Yes.
Woman: How much is his fine?
Tucker: \$75.
Woman: Will you tell him that
Mae - at the Levi Hospital
called and will see him
tomorrow.

557 Incoming #446 John
Mayor called and told Tucker to have
either Jack or Louis call him at
#600.

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6¹⁵ Outgoing #173 GPM
Nakelin - 3471 (Grace Goldstein)

Grace - Hello -

Nakelin - What are you doing?

Grace - I was in my room.

Nakelin - How is everything?

Grace - OK.

Nakelin - Didn't go thru the window

Grace - Did you?

No. - I've been ganning hell
out of her today. I fined her
\$10 and told her to let that
be a lesson.

Nakelin - He found the kid this
afternoon.

Grace - You did? Where?

Nakelin - About 3 miles up the creek.

He stopped at a country house
and said he was hungry.

Grace - Well, I was just reading
the paper about the prints.

Nakelin - Oh - That was just some
of Johnnie's crap. Those were
dog tracks he called prints.

Grace - Have you been home?

Wakelin: No, I've been on the go.
I took several loads of
people out there.

Grace - Connie claimed I was
mad so we went over to
the Southern and got Aterman
to come over to get me in
a good humar. - I've got
70 minutes after six.

Wakelin: Ok - I was alone so thought
I'd call you.

Grace - How is the friend.

Wakelin: Better - that's the report today.

Grace - Well pneumonia is a hard
thing to get over and it
leaves you mighty weak.

Wakelin: I got that thing in today.

Grace - You did? \$25 eh! I never
did see one. I'll have to
practice on you - (laughs)

Wakelin: Oh Yeah - they want one on
the other phone. Same time?

Grace - Ok.

678 Incoming #446 Edna
Nakelin: Hello.

Kincannon: Did you call me?

Nakelin: Are those people doing anything?

Kincannon: I know they ain't making anything. He soaked a suit of clothes with me and then made enough in a crap game to get it out. He just borrowed a dollar from me so I know they ain't got nothing.

Nakelin: Hell - his raising Cain with me.

Kincannon: I'll try to find out and let you know.

645 Incoming #446 Edna
Mrs Nakelin called Chief - Not In

650 Incoming #173 Edna
Mrs. Boland called Adess and asked him to pick up her husband - that he was drunk

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7¹⁴ Incoming #173 Elnor

Judge Legerwood called Akers and said he was going hunting in the morning and that the Grover hearing would be postponed until Wednesday morning. Said Dick Ryan was going to hold court for him in the morning.

7¹⁵ Incoming #173 Elnor

Tucker = City Jail

Castleberry = Is Akers there?

Akers = This is Castleberry - ?

Castleberry = Yes.

Akers = Did you get a line on that woman?

Castleberry = That place is out close to Bismark and Point Cedar.

Akers = Well, tell the witnesses we won't need them until Wednesday morning.

Castleberry - Ok.

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7²² Incoming #173 ERM
Jucker - City Jail

Bill Davis: Is Arch there?

Arch Cooper: Hello.

Bill Davis: Arch, this is Bill Davis
Did that check come in?

Arch Cooper: No bill - at least
it didn't come thru me.

Bill Davis: Well, if it comes thru,
will you call me?

Arch Cooper: Yes.

7³⁰ Incoming #173 ERM
Mrs Brock called Cecil and
asked him to take her home.
Brock said he would get her
in about 5 minutes in front
of store.

7⁵⁵ Incoming #446 ERM
Officer reporting - 3337 Townstons

8⁰² Incoming #446 ERM
Complaint about drunk at 1003 Crescent Ave

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Has.

8:08 P.m. - Out #1

Cooper - Called 2089 (New Park Hospital)
Spoke to Garnett Moore and inquired
what charges were against a
negro girl named Smith.

Moore - Informed that the girl
had stolen some perfume and
a locket from her employer

8:10 P.m. - Out #1

Has.

Cooper - Called 181 (Twin Hospital) and
informed woman who answered
phone of charges against
the negro girl, Smith.

8:12 P.m. - Out #1.

Cooper - Called 2425 and inquired
from man details of thefts
by Smith girl.

8:15 P.m. - In #1.

Has.

Woman - Asked for Dutch Akers.
Not in.

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Has.

8:17 P.m. - In #2.

Girl - Asked for Brock
Not in.

8:25 P.m. - In #1.

Woman - Asked for Chief Watelin
Not in.

8:35 P.m. - In #1.

Has

Woman - Do you have a fellow name
Fleet Rice in jail?

Man - Yes - Charged being drunk.

8:38 P.m. - Out #1

Brock - Called 2089 (New Park Hospital)
Spoke to Garnett Moore and
asked details of charges against
Negro woman named Smith.
Said she was sitting in the
hall & didn't want anyone to
ruin his case.

G. Moore - Informed that he told Cope
to talk to her.

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Had

8:45 Pm. - In #2.

Charlie - asked for Akers.

Akers - Hello.

Charlie - informed that the man's sister was named Ruby White, 220 Woodbine St., and requested they be picked up in morning, with effort made to locate the "stuff" -

Akers - informed he would pick her up and could hold her for 72 hours before she could make bond.

9:10 Pm. - In #1

Has

Woman - asked for Bob Moore -
- not in -

9:20 Pm. - In #1.

Woman - asked for Akers, asked how he felt, and was informed he would be there in few minutes.

9:25 P.m. - Out #2 -

Moore - Called 2089 (New Park Hospital) and left message for officer who comes to relieve the guard there to call station.

9:26 P.m. - Out #1.

Moore - Called 545 (Merchants Lunch) asked for officer - none there

9:27 P.m. - Out #1.

Moore - Called 1246 (Central Ligar) asked for officer - none there.

9:28 P.m. - Out #1.

Moore - Called 116 (Millers Ligar) asked for officer - none there

9:30 P.m. - In #1.

Officer (Kelly) - Reported in -
Moore - Instructed Officer Murray to call him when he came there -

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9:50 Pm - - In #2 - for Moore -
Man - gave his name as Charlie Mitchell, informed Moore he was just in town and would be over to see him

9:55 Pm - - In #1 -
Audy Erwin - informed Moore he was receiving G. Moore at the New Park Hospital -

9:58 Pm - - In #2 -
Man - gave name as Bud Hill, asked Moore if he could make bond for Aileen, a red-headed waitress employed at Southern Grill -
Moore - informed negative. Complaints against her from wives of married men with whom she was associating -

10:10 Pm - - In #1 -
Officer (Kelly) - Reported at 1246 (Central)

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10:40 P.m. - In #1-

Man - gave name as John Cooper -
Requested Moore to stay there;
that he was coming down
and wanted to talk to him -

10:45 P.m. - In #2-

Man - (did not give name) Asked Moore
what he was doing -

Moore - just sitting here talking to
Chief Wakelin.

Man - I thought maybe you were
talking to a "G-man" -

Moore - And I sent him home -

Man - When you get a chance
come over to Spencer's -

Moore - After a bit -

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11:10 P.m. - In #1-

Officer (Kelly) - Reported at 116 (Miller) -
stated that Officer Murray
had not reported for duty -

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11:30 P.m. - In #1

Murray - Reported in and that he
worked overtime previous day -

11:40 P.m. - In #1

Officer - Reported at 3337 Jonestown -